

# **Sensory Map**

# **SPACE FOR EVERYONE**

This map represents an average sensory experience but this may vary on the day of your visit.

If you have any concerns or questions about sensory disturbances during your visit, please do not hesitate to talk to a member of staff.

# USEFUL INFORMATION

### **Busiest times**

- 11:00 (peak arrival time)
- Rainy days
- February and October half term
- Boosters café can get very busy between 12:00 and 14:00
- Our free Annual Pass upgrade gives you the option to come back at no cost and see anything you might have missed

# **Quieter times**

- During the week after 14:00
- Sunny days
- The first two weeks of the summer holiday
- The holiday prior to Christmas

# Temperature

- The temperature varies as you move through the galleries, you may want to bring a bottle of water and a jacket just in case
- Some areas can be quite warm, such as Decks 3 and 4 of the Rocket Tower





# Lights

- The ground floor is dimly lit throughout, following the theme of outer space
- You can find areas with natural light on each deck of the Rocket Tower

# Sounds

- Announcements sound regularly around the galleries, these can be loud for some visitors
- Events taking place in our LIVE Space gallery can be a source of loud sounds
- Some of toilets have automatic hand-driers, these can be a source of loud noise for some visitors
- The lifts on Deck 4 of the Rocket Tower occasionally make a loud click sound as it reaches the top

# Smells

- Some of our Discovery Team's drop-in activities can be a source of strong smells
- Our proximity to the river can, at times, be a source of strong smells.

### **GROUND FLOOR**



#### **ROCKET TOWER**

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